

FIRE AND POLICE BUSINESS HERE

Eleven Fire Calls in January—Some Furniture Was Burned in Greenville Station—\$50 From Kies Company For Firemen's Fund—60 Entries on the Police Blotter.

For the month of January the Norwich fire department had eleven calls to respond to, about the average number. Three of them were bell alarms, and of these the most serious was for the early morning fire in the Austin building, where, with damage to building and stocks in several stores, it is likely that a total loss of at least \$10,000 will be paid. Adjusters as well as local men who have seen the conditions surrounding the fire have quite generally had generous words of praise for the efficient way in which it was held down to so small a compass.

On Friday Chief Stanton received from The George W. Kies company, one of the firms affected, a check for \$50 in appreciation of what the department did. The money will be added as usual to the firemen's fund, which now totals about \$2,500.

One of the peculiar fires of the month occurred in the station of Engine company No. 2, and had all the signs of coming from a cigarette thrown carelessly into an upholstered chair. The policeman on that beat saw smoke pouring out of the window about 4 o'clock one morning as he was coming off duty. The officer

got into the station and put out the blaze with a hand extinguisher. Carpets and draperies, besides the chair, were damaged and \$135 insurance was collected.

Police Business.

In the Norwich police department 60 entries were made on the blotter at headquarters during the month of January. It was a month rather below the average. Of the causes for arrest, intoxication and breach of the peace were evenly divided, each showing 23 person in the tolls of the law for these offenses. The following is the summary for the month: Breach of peace 23, intoxication 23, common drunkard 1, injury to railroad property 1, carrying concealed weapon 1, vagrancy 3, non-support 2, horse stealing 1, theft 1, being incorrigible 2.

Disposition of the cases was made as follows upon presentation in the city court: 18 were committed, 18 paid fines or costs, 19 were taken away by other officers, and one was put in the hands of the probation officer until March 1.

GOLD WATCH FOB TO NOAH LUCAS

From Directors of Young Men's Christian Association.

Noah Lucas was presented a handsome gold Y. M. C. A. watch fob by the board of directors of the Young Men's Christian association on Friday, when Mr. Lucas left for New Britain where today he takes up his new duties in a bank. Mr. Lucas was a member of the board of directors and chairman of the social committee. One of the associates of Mr. Lucas in the Thames Loan and Trust company presented him a handsome cane.

"Walk on Main Street."

John W. McKinley is preparing a sketch entitled "A walk on Main Street," which is soon to be given. The sketch is full of local hits on the merchants along Main street. John J. Farrell will assist Mr. McKinley in the sketch.

Incidents in Society.

Steamer Franconia, on which Miss Annie Ruggles sailed, has reached Algiers.

Mrs. Edward H. Linnell entertained at bridge Friday evening in honor of her guest, Miss Isabel Angell, of Montclair, N. J.

Mrs. James L. Case entertained informally on Friday afternoon for Mrs. Frank R. Abbey of New York, who is the guest of Mrs. C. D. Sevin.

Friday afternoon Mrs. William B. Birge, of Huntington place, gave a small and informal bridge and tea for her sister, Mrs. Thomas Cauldwell, of Morristown, N. J., and Miss Isabel Ansell, of Montclair.

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Stebbins	157	121	154	432
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Schwamer	149	158	153	460
Baratz	145	189	179	513
Totals	799	805	787	2391
Elks, New London.				
Newman	200	182	155	538
McCormick	155	129	165	450
Plant	170	131	124	425
Taylor	153	150	184	467
Rudd	212	178	189	579
Total	921	771	777	2469
The standing of the teams in the league now is:				
W. L. P. C.				
Arcanum club, Norwich	5	1	833	
Edg. Fellows, New London	5	4	556	
Mystic club	0	6	400	

Pilgrim's Progress by Stereopticon
General Secretary F. R. Starkey entertained nearly 200 boys Friday evening at the Y. M. C. A. with an interesting address on Pilgrim's Progress, illustrated with stereopticon slides. Photograph selections were also given and the program was much enjoyed by all. An illustrated lecture on Pilgrim's Progress will also be given at the Men's meeting Sunday afternoon. There will be appropriate songs.

A VERY ATTRACTIVE DESIGN.

Ladies' Skirt in Raised or Normal Waistline.

Blue velvet, with self covered buttons, or tulle brocade, with simple stitching, would finish the skirt. This design, which is also appropriate for voile, cashmere, taffeta, chambray, Panama or serge. The pattern is in five sizes: 22, 24, 26, 28 and 30 inches waist measure. It requires 2 1/2 yards of 44-inch material for a 24-inch size.

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